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CATALOG AND PRICE LIST

Dear Violet Friends:

We are humbly proud to present to you our newest seedlings and introductions. These have been chosen and named as the most outstanding of thousands of seedlings grown here in our greenhouses, through hybridization of the finest Saintpaulia varieties in existence.

We pledge to name and grow only seedlings which are truly outstanding, after being grown and tested under our careful supervision and accepted for registration with the National African Violet Society of America.

In conjunction with our own seedlings and introductions we shall also grow and maintain stock of all the most outstanding and standard varieties of African Violets which exist on the market, for you, our violet friends.

With detailed descriptions of each variety, we have also given you any duplicate name under which the variety has been listed. We shall discontinue with each edition of our catalog any varieties which in our opinion are outdated, or not worthy of being recommended for your violet collection.

May your favorites of the old and love for the new be among the following:

(PLEASE READ BEFORE ORDERING)

In ordering please PRINT full name and address. All orders of \$7.00 or over are sent insured, postpaid in U.S.A. Orders under \$7.00, please add 50c to cover high cost of shipping and packing. We have lowered plant prices wherever possible to give you the benefit of standard prices and fine quality. Money order (preferred) or personal check accepted. No C. O. D.

Canadian customers must secure import permit from your Dept. of Agriculture and forward to us. Postage at cost.

Order with confidence. All plants are shipped in approximately 2" clay pots. Plants 3" to 5" high. Please do not mistake our well established growing plants in pots for rooted cuttings. We ship only well established growing plants. Many in bud and bloom.

May we suggest you have on hand or order some of our certified sterilized soil when plants arrive, as many are ready to shift into 3" size pots and need only sterilized soil added to their already established pot growth.

We grow and maintain a Saintpaulia stock of 100,000 plants. Our stock and greenhouses are State and Federal certified. All packages leave here well packed and all orders of \$7.00 or over are fully insured against damage.

When placing your order with us, please give a second choice of a plant or two, so we can give you the benefit of best plants available at time of order. We maintain a stock of more than 60 standard varieties, and there are times when plants of a certain variety are not as large as we should like to send. However we will only substitute with your permission and knowledge of varieties wanted and sent.

We ship the year round, orders acknowledged and booked during freezing weather.

Allow a reasonable time for delivery!

All accessories are sent postpaid!

Sustaining members AFRICAN VIOLET SOCIETY OF AMERICA, Inc. (May we recommend you for membership? Blank sent on request.)

Our reference: Huntingdon Valley Trust Co., Huntingdon Valley, Pa.

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**INTRODUCING TINARI'S ALL DOUBLE FLOWERING
HYBRID BOUQUET SERIES**, very heavy flowering in
flat open bouquet clusters.

NAVY BOUQUET—Very dark navy purple color. Double
flower, profuse bloomer with heavy crinkled leaf. \$1.50
each.

MARINE BOUQUET—Vivid light blue double flowering.
Very profuse bloomer. \$1.50 each.

RUBY BOUQUET—This is of very vivid ruby wine color,
firm glossy dark green leaf. \$1.50 each.

VELVET BOUQUET—A deep royal purple. Velvet texture
double flowering type. \$1.50 each.

RUFFLES BOUQUET—Heavy double flower. Flower simi-
lar to color of variety Ruffles. Leaf deeply veined.
Interesting bronze green coloring. \$1.50 each.

SEMI-DOUBLE BOUQUET—Semi-double flower of light
blue. Glossy medium green leaf. \$1.50 each.

NEW SINGLE FLOWER TYPES

SNOW GIRL—Pure white, heavy scalloped leaf, large full
bloom. \$1.75 each.

GENEVA STAR—Blue blotches on white flower. \$1.50 ea.

BLUE DELAWARE—Large dark blue flower named in
honor of the state of Delaware. DuPont type. \$1.50 ea.

RAINBOW GENEVA—A new plum red with sugar white
edge. \$2.00 each.

STAR SAPPHIRE—This is a new, unusual variety. Star
shape purple flower, double stamen, flower stays on
longer. \$1.50 each.

NEW RAINBOW DOUBLE SERIES

AZURE BEAUTY—Double white with light blue variega-
tion. \$2.00 each.

DARK BEAUTY—Double white with dark blue variega-
tion. \$2.00

SAILOR'S DELIGHT—Light blue double, blue girl foliage.
\$2.50 each.

TINARI'S AMERICA—We consider this the finest of our seedlings to date. Through hybridizing of Mammoth and DuPont strains, our seedling America can be put in a class of its own. We have chosen its name as a symbol of strength and beauty. From the huge, soft, beautiful, true blue blossoms to its heavily crenated, crisp, heart-shaped mammoth leaf, it is distinctive in every detail. We have counted 5 to 10 of its beautiful large flat blossoms that flute and ripple at edge of petals, on one cluster. Large golden colored stamens, a graceful upright manner of growth, add to its distinctive beauty of strong and stately appearance. \$1.75 ea.

HELEN WILSON—This attractive girl type was the first of our seedlings to produce a true, dark purple double flower with a distinctive girl leaf. It has been named for a famous author who has been first on authoritative African Violet culture in our country. The popularity of our cherished African Violet today is due, in part, to the efforts and writings of Helen Van Pelt Wilson, in whose honor this variety has been named and registered with the African Violet Society of America. This variety hardly needs description but is distinctive with its large double blossoms and flower stalks in abundance, that do not fall off, but remain for weeks on stems. Heavily fluted girl type leaf. Mature leaves very irregular and interestingly pinched back upon themselves with definite creamy spot at base. \$0.75 each.

TINARI'S AMAZON BLUE EYES—Our lovely Blue Eyes, for years a real favorite, is now available with a new improved look. A mutant of beautiful Blue Eyes. Unlike other well-known Amazons, this variety has pleasing flat, slightly cupped foliage, distinctive Blue Eyes leaf, large and heavy, thick and quilted in texture. The blossom is that of Blue Eyes but as large as the Amazon strain though more profuse in blooming quality. It is a must in your violet collection. A real Tinari favorite. 75¢ each.

TINARI'S MAMMOTH BLUE—A seedling of distinction. Very outstanding large, clear, dark blue flower. Strong, huge, upright foliage growth with long, thick, pencil-like petioles and dark forest green leaf, deeply flushed red underneath. Flower and leaf of good form, outstanding for size and good colored depth. \$1.00 each.

TINARI'S MAMMOTH RED—This is another mammoth type. Flower and leaf are very large. Blossoms of intense wine red. Large and cupped. Leaf is dark medium green, heavily crenated, very shapely tapered. Very definite egg shape leaf. \$1.25 each.

AMAZON PURPLE PRINCE—We consider this the darkest purple violet. Large, dark purple velvet flower, large, sturdy, light green heart-shaped leaf, \$1.00 ea.

SNOW PRINCE—New white seedling, large, rounded petal, glistening white flower, resembles neptune formation. Flat growing heart-shaped leaf. A very profuse bloomer. \$1.00 each.

SUNRISE—New red lavender variety. \$1.00 each.

Our Special Catalog Offer!

Ten 75¢ plants (your choice)

\$7.00 postpaid

ADMIRAL—A deep, warm, rich violet color blossom. Flat growing type plant. Rich, dark green leaves, slightly quilted and cupped. \$0.75 each.

AMAZON PINK—Very large flowering type of vivid salmon pink. Leaves are very hairy, slightly quilted, of dull medium green, which grow very large at maturity. Mature plants sometimes produce flowers 2 in. in diameter. \$1.00 each.

AMAZON RED—This is the supreme type of the Red Head variety, large round petaled violet red flower; very large heart-shaped leaves, most attractive. \$1.00 each.

AMETHYST — Beautiful medium orchid color, a true amethyst. Also known as Light Orchid, Pink Amethyst, Orchid Lady, Orchid Beauty. Glossy, medium green, beautiful heart-shaped leaf, rosy beneath, slightly cupped and toothed edge. \$0.75 each.

BLUEBIRD—Colorful blue, upright variety. 75¢ each.

BLUE CHARD—Long, sharp, tapered leaf, deep purple blue flower. 75¢ each.

BLUE EYED BEAUTY—New white with deep blue cast center and outer edge. \$1.00 each.

BLUE FLUTE—This long awaited popular variety now available. Very large light blue violet, of the duPont strain. Sturdy dark green foliage, most desirable. \$1.00 each.

BLUSHING MAIDEN—Free-flowering, soft creamy wax-like color. with faint pink tinge. Medium light green leaf. \$0.75 each.

BLUSH SUPREME—A new blush beauty. The creamy blush color of this new variety is warm and most desirable; outstanding, large supreme type flower, slightly cupped. Large, medium light green leaf. \$1.00.

BLUE WARRIOR—Another beautiful leaf variety. Very long narrow leaf, dark green and glossy quilted surface, dark wine red underneath. Excellent bloomer and grower. \$0.75 each.

All plants grown in soil suitable for house culture!

BURGUNDY (Also known as Lady Sue)—The plum red flower of this variety resembles Red Head, round petals, and of intense color in northern exposure. The interesting girl type leaf adds to its interesting beauty. Fluted leaf, white spot at base. \$0.75 each.

CRINKLES—Brilliant electric blue flower. Very large, glossy, emerald green leaf, heavily quilted and evenly crinkled edge. Mature plants are most attractive, with very long, strong pencil-like petioles and brilliant reddish undercast under leaves. \$0.75 each.

DOUBLE LIGHT BLUE—Light blue double flowering type. \$0.75 each.

DOUBLE ORCHID—Double-flowering, deep orchid, very free flowering, and long longevity of flower. Blooms in clusters, above foliage of good medium green. \$0.75 each.

DOUBLE MARGARET—A new outstanding crinkled leaf, deep royal purple crinkled flowering double. Most unique and interesting, giving the double-flowering type that irresistible new look. Flowers are large, very double and ruffled, with a sharply tapered crinkled leaf, giving it a very airy, festive look. \$0.75 each.

DOUBLE MENTOR BOY—This is another of our double flowering seedlings. Its name needs no explanation. Its double flowers produced in clusters, intense purple, with a large hairy, medium green leaf, which resembles the standard Mentor Boy type. \$0.75 each.

DOUBLE NEPTUNE—This new double flowering type is characteristic of the favorite Neptune type, double flowers of velvety purple, shiny quilted dark green leaf, heavily quilted, flushed red underneath, \$1.00 each.

DOUBLE RUSSIAN IMPROVED—A very heavy blooming variety. Known as the first dark purple, true double-flowering variety. \$0.50 each.

DU PONT LAVENDER PINK (Greatly Improved Variety)—Flowers of this variety are extremely large, of distinctive form, delicately colored true orchid with deeper lavender around outer edge of petals and very center of flower. Leaves are unusually large, thick, and hairy fluted heart-shaped of medium green; occasionally a rosy tinge under leaf tends to add to the interest of this distinct type. \$0.75 each.

DU PONT BLUE—Same characteristic type as described above. A vigorous grower. Flowers are a large, deep violet blue. \$0.75 each.

DIPLOTRICHA—One of the true original species. Formerly known as Kewensis. Almost miniature in size compared with some of our gorgeous hybrids of today. Flowers are tiny and dainty, of very thin texture, a light myrtle blue violet. The medium to light green leaves are thin with slightly serrate margins, smooth, slightly quilted and very hairy. \$0.75 each.

DIPLOTRICHA SUPREME—Supreme type of original wild species. \$1.00 each.

DUPONT SILVER PINK—New DuPont hybrid, pale lavender pink with silver overcast. Large thick heart-shaped leaf, mature plants show deep red flush under leaf and petiole. \$1.25 each.

FANTASY—This new variety has flowers of lavender blue which are freckled and striped, most unusual. Medium green upright foliage. At times reverts to its parentage Bluebird, also to other shades. This variety is offered under these conditions as true propagation is uncontrollable. \$1.00 each.

FREDIA—This variety also known as Red-lonantha. \$0.75 each.

GORGEOUS BI COLOR—New lovely lavender Bi Color. Two top petals very deep lavender, bottom petals soft lavender tones. Medium green quilted leaf. \$0.75 ea.

JESSIE—One of our favorites! A beautiful pastel, dainty, soft, graceful, lavender flower. A very early profuse bloomer, in graceful clusters of 5 to 8. Leaves of medium moss green are very interesting, with saw tooth edge, slightly cupped and pointed. Distinctly different from most orchids. \$0.50 each.

LADY GENEVA (Pat. Pending)—A most interesting, and strikingly beautiful variety. Very deep purple violet blue, with pure white twinkling edge. Truly distinct, attractive medium green leaf, slightly tapered. \$.75

LAVENDER GIRL HYBRID—Another of those favorite girl hybrids. Beautiful large rounded petal lavender flowers, with attractive improved large girl type leaf. \$1.00 each.

MAUVE FRINGETTE—A real pastel of mauvette lavender, fringed flower and leaf. \$1.50 each.

MENTOR BOY—Very deep purple reddish, large flower. Glossy, medium green leaf, grows rather large and hairy. \$0.75 each.

NEPTUNE—An ever-popular old favorite. Blossoms of deep rich, warm, velvety purple, profuse blooming. Large, heavily quilted leaf. Very flat rosette growing type, leaves flushed wine red underneath. Also known as Spooned Neptune. \$0.75 each.

NORSEMAN—Another old favorite, lovely, free blooming variety. Blossoms a large gallant blue, very round petals, leaves are glossy medium green, tend to roll under. \$0.75 each.

The following varieties are temporarily in stock in limited quantities:

RED LAVENDER FRINGETTE, DARK BLUE FRINGETTE, LIGHT BLUE FRINGETTE, WHITE BEAUTY, \$1.50 each.

LADY MARION, RED SPOON, \$0.75 each.

AMAZON WHITE, AMAZON BLUE GIRL, RED BEAUTY, \$1.00 each.

ORCHID NEPTUNE—This new variety has large, lovely orchid blossoms with that characteristic, favorite Neptune foliage. 75¢ each.

PALE ORCHID DOUBLE—One of our many beautiful seedlings of hybridizing with double pollen on some of our favorite standard varieties. This hybrid is a pale lavender, about the color of Jessie, heavy double flower, with slightly quilted medium green leaf. \$0.75 each.

PINK BEAUTY (Patented)—True Amarantha Pink, prolific. Light medium green foliage. \$0.50 each.

PLUM SATIN — Also known as MAUVE and DARK PLUM. A beautiful vivid red violet color blossom. Leaf a dark forest green, very satiny in texture, most desirable. \$0.75 each.

PURPLE GIRL — Deep, colorful, purple, violet, free bloomer. Leaves deeply scalloped, cream spot at base. \$0.75 each.

PURPLE PRINCE— A very profuse bloomer. Outstanding for its vivid depth of color. Intense dark, reddish purple blossom, produced on flower stalks 7 to 8 in., held well above foliage, blooms at a very early age. Medium light green leaf, slightly tapered and very flat growing pattern. \$0.50 each.

RED BI-COLOR—Also known as Bi-Color. One of our most attractive varieties, here at the greenhouses. Distinct two-tone variety. The two top petals are an intense red-violet, with the lower three a soft beautiful orchid. Robust foliage, of large slightly quilted, shiny medium green. \$0.75 each.

RED KING—Best deep, rich violet red to date; holds color well. Exceptionally attractive heartshaped quilted leaves of medium dark green. 75¢ each.

RED LAND—Another red violet color flower. Good heart shape, shiny green leaf. \$0.50 each.

RUFFLES—One of the most interesting foliage plants introduced. The long, narrow, pointed, olive-green leaf, with its airy, ruffled edge and rosy underneath adds a real note of interest to one's collection. The blooms are a medium blue lavender of medium size, with elongated lower petal. A profuse bloomer, with rather shy blossoms that peep out among the interesting leaf pattern. \$0.75 each.

Try Tinari's Violets — A trial order will convince you!

SAILOR GIRL—Also known as Light Blue Girl. Very beautiful pale light blue flower, with the ever popular blue girl leaf, fluted with white spot at center. 75¢ each.

TINARI'S BLUE EYES—Our own introduction (Philadelphia Show, 1947) still the most popular variety at our greenhouses. Outstanding for its profuse, soft, baby blue, gracefully-rounded flowers. Most desirable in one's collection for the best real blue to date. A flat rosette-growing type, leaves are a dark forest green, shiny and are smooth, with small regular crenation, making a beautiful contrast to the light color flower. \$0.50 each.

TINTED LADY — This new introduction is sometimes known as the grey violet. Also known as Sky Blue. It is a vigorous growing type plant, resembling *Ionatha* in its growth habit. Very large, heavily quilted leaves, on long, graceful, sturdy, pencil-like petioles of upright growth. Leaves are a good medium green, ovate and sharply tapered. Blossom color is a very pale grey-blue. Most interesting among the vivid colors. \$0.75.

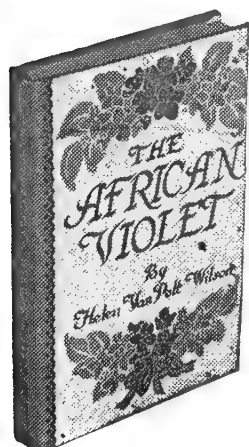
VIOLET BEAUTY—Lovely large orchid color blossoms. Very free bloomer, with slightly tapered medium green foliage. \$1.00 each.

WHITE GIRL — New White variety, White flower with faint bluish cast, lovely girl type foliage. \$1.00 each.

WHITE FRINGETTE—White fringed flower with heavily ruffled fringed leaf. \$1.50 each.

WHITE WATER LILY—Most attractive with its shimmering white flower petals; large attractive and prolific bloomer. Leaves of sturdy medium light green are slightly pointed and sharply tapered, with serrated edges. \$0.50 each.

POPULAR AFRICAN VIOLET ACCESSORIES — Which make cherished birthday and holiday gifts.



New Revised Edition of
"THE AFRICAN VIOLET"—A most authoritative, full-length book on America's favorite house plant, by a favorite author, Helen Van Pelt Wilson. A fascinating book; every collector will want a copy. Many new and old varieties described and illustrated. \$2.75 a copy postpaid.

More description,
newer varieties. Completely revised.

TINARI'S CERTIFIED AFRICAN VIOLET SOIL—A soil especially prepared, blended and sterilized for house culture of the lovely African Violet. It contains all the finest basic materials most essential to good Saintpaulia culture.

This soil has been treated to **CONTROL** most **NEMATODES, SOIL INSECTS, ROOT ROTS, WILTS** and **WEED SEEDS**, also to control undesirable soil organisms such as "ell worms" commonly found in most soils, harmful soil fungi, detrimental to plants, and other forms of bacteria that prevent good growth and blossoms on your plants.

Soil tests conducted here have proven to us good clean soil properly blended and sterilized is the most important factor in raising healthy, vigorous, well-developed plants.

Soil is packaged and ready to ship to you in the following sizes for your convenience.

3 lb. \$1.00 p.p.d., 25¢ extra West of Mississippi

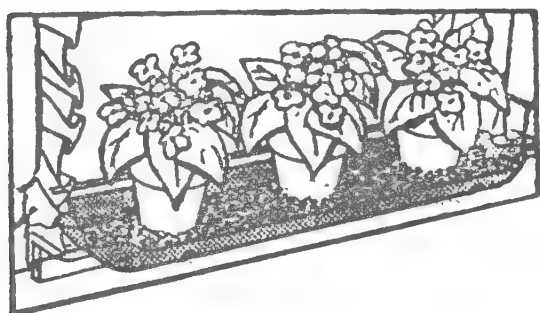
5 lb. \$1.50 p.p.d., 35¢ extra West of Mississippi

10 lb. \$2.75 p.p.d., 50¢ extra West of Mississippi.

We can supply soil in larger quantities of 25 lbs., \$ 2.50
50 lbs., \$4.00; or 100 lbs., \$8.00. You pay postage, check zone at your P.O. and send postage cost with order.

VERMICULITE—An excellent rooting medium for house culture. Sterile heat treated to 2000° F. (Box approximately 6" square.) \$1.35 Postpaid.

We stock a complete line of standard red clay pots and white painted pots, available at our greenhouses only. Also a complete line of glazed and gift pots for African Violets.



Aluminum Window Trays—Ideal for providing more space to grow and display your African Violets. Ideal for narrow window sill or shelf. 27 in. long x 6½ in. wide x 1½ in. deep (brackets and screws included). Your choice of neutral aluminum or moss green finish. Most useful and attractive. Holds five 3 in. pots, ten to twelve 2 in. pots. \$2.00 each, p.p.d.

KAPSULATE—Sodium Selenate in new capsule form. Safe and easy to use—merely drop the capsule on the soil in the pot and water the soil, the plant takes up the selenium in about 2 weeks, then insects such as aphids, cyclamen mite, red spider, thrip, etc., that try to feed on the plant are either killed or repelled. Box of 18 capsules. \$1.25 box p.pd.

HYPONEX PLANT FOOD—A real aid to keep your violets in a good vigorous growing and blooming condition. A clean, odorless plant food especially beneficial to African Violet culture, and most economical; does not lose its vitality. This food gives best results when used as a regular weekly drink for your plants. Full directions are included on every package.

3 oz. can 25¢ p.pd. 7 oz. can 50¢ p.pd. 1 lb. can \$1.00 p.pd.

PROLIFEROL POWDER—A well balanced scientific growth stimulant for treating violet leaf cuttings before rooting. Encourages rapid root development. 35¢ a package postpaid.



LIQUA-VITA PLANT FOOD—A highly concentrated fertilizer with plant hormones and Vitamin B₁ in liquid form, so easy to use, simply add to your water. Non acid forming, excellent for African Violets and all other house plants. 8 oz. bottle (makes 16 gal. plant food) \$0.75 postpaid. 1 qt. bottle \$1.50.

**SELF WATERING
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STYRON
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Plants can be left days without watering, due to sub-irrigation wick. Water in reservoir base keeps roots of plant scientifically moistened. Lovely 4" pots in color choice of Red, Yellow, Pink, Green, Blue, Ivory—all with high luster black base. 4"—\$1.10 each. 6 pots, \$6.00 postpaid.

Self-
WATERING



All orders \$7.00 and over postpaid, insured.



OPTOX VIOLET SPRAY—To keep your plants clean and free from cyclamen mite, mealy bug, thrips and other common diseases of African Violets or other plants kept near your Saintpaulias which are many times a source of infestation.

Complete directions are printed on every bottle. Also can be used in diluted proportion to destroy manure worms and various larvae in the soil.

Optox is a safe, dependable insecticide, containing a well balanced blend of rotenone and pyrethrum concentrate spray. Will not injure the most tender plants, when used as directed. Packed in the following convenient sizes. 1 oz. bottle 60¢ p.p.d. 6 oz. bottle \$1.35 p.p.d. 1 pt. bottle \$2.50 p.p.d.

An ordinary fly sprayer is best to use when spraying violet plants, where spray is applied evenly with pressure.

SUGGESTIONS ON CARE AND CULTURE OF AFRICAN VIOLETS

With the ever-increasing interest and pleasure that Saintpaulias have given to beginners, collectors, and enthusiastic window gardeners everywhere, much real interest has been created in search of the best possible culture for such a handsome house plant. It seems every collector has some particular window or favored location, in one's own home where their violets thrive best. In our sixteen years of African Violet growing and experiences we have found that violets, like individuals, have certain likes and dislikes which, with careful observance and study, combined with a bit of practical knowledge, are easily understood.

Above all, it is well to remember that this fascinating plant is a semi-tropical beauty, and all we can do to make it happy and comfortable in its unnatural surroundings will be greatly rewarded with constant bloom and luxuriant foliage.

Remember, too, our violets of today are gorgeous hybrids, with beautiful large blossoms of exquisite color tones, and interesting leaf formations, compared to the original wild species. They grace our windows with an air of beauty and interest, which is a never-ending source of pride and satisfaction to the violet collector.

Here at the gardens we are constantly hybridizing and experimenting with every known variety, in an effort to bring to our violet friends the very finest in violets. May

we suggest the use of north and west exposures for the late spring and summer months, south and east for winter. In summer, violets grow well behind the kind protection of a venetian blind, curtain, or on a well protected porch. In winter a lush, moist atmosphere is most desired by our semi-tropical pets. Several plants growing in one location always help to create a better growing atmosphere than one lonely plant. Many apartment dwellers and window gardeners have found our aluminum pans most useful for this purpose. Plants grow well on pebble-filled pans and the moist pebbles are a ready means of humidifying the surrounding air.

Violets like a night temperature of 68 degrees. Avoid draughts or placing plants near cold window panes, without protection from the cold night air, which often retards good growth and bloom.

Always use warm water, rain or spring water preferred, which is free of chlorine and other chemicals. Plant food is most essential to keep plants in a healthy growing condition. Place pots in saucers and water from below. Plants can also be watered from the top if care is taken not to wet the foliage, as moisture on the leaves, with the strong light or sun shining on them, will cause leaves to spot and become yellow and unsightly.

Plant Food should be used at least once a week to keep plants in a good healthy growing condition. For your convenience we carry three forms of plant food:

LIQUA-VITA—A modern violet food in liquid form which needs only to be added to the water.

HYPONEX—An economical food, in powder form, favored by many.

These tested and tried popular foods are used here at our greenhouses and can be safely used on the most tender plants without burning.

Complete instructions with each food described on container.

For a clean healthy plant collection we wish to recommend the use of **optox** spray, to control all the destructive pests such as mealy bug, cyclamen mite and thrips, also to destroy manure worms and springtails often found thriving in and around pots. Specific directions included with every bottle.

Remember to keep pots in proportion to plants, do not overpot. However, when potting is necessary, use **Tinari's certified African Violet potting soil**, especially prepared for your convenience, ready to use. Expertly blended, sifted and sterilized to exterminate harmful soil fungus and nematodes.

Demands of the African Violet are few but must be constant. Your patience, care and loyalty will be rewarded with handsome flowering plants.

It has been a beautiful experience to walk along the Saintpaulia path with you and your fascinating hobby. You are most cordially invited to visit our greenhouses.

Yours for beautiful Violets,

Tinari Floral Gardens

Valley and Terwood Roads, Bethayres, Pennsylvania

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